

## WEATHER

Wet snow accumulating to one to three inches, changing to rain this afternoon with temperatures rising to upper 30's. Rain ending late tonight with lowest 32 to 36 degrees. Tomorrow clearing and a little warmer.

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## Delicate Diplomacy

## Dulles, Saud Confer Over Mideast Aid

WASHINGTON — UP — Secretary of State John Foster Dulles conferred with King Saud today in the hope of winning the Saudi Arabian monarch's support for U.S. efforts to block Soviet penetration of the Middle East.

The two men talked together at Blair House, the official residence of presidential visitors. In today's conference, Dulles took over the delicate diplomacy which Mr. Eisenhower initiated at talks with King Saud in the White House yesterday afternoon.

Saudi Arabian Ambassador Abdulla Al-khayal said the talks got off Wednesday to a "very good start." He said "things went better than I expected."

## Asks For Arms

Official sources said the King asked arms for defense of his country. One source understood the King wants some \$250 million worth of fighter planes, tanks, and other equipment.

Before getting down to the official business which brought him here, King Saud drove in a cavalcade of black limousines to Arlington National Cemetery where he placed a wreath at the tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

The countryside was covered by about two inches of snow which fell during the night. The snow was melting, but slowly enough to give the visiting King a picture of white-clad hills and trees such as he never saw in traditional Arabia.

Dulles' main hope was that he could convince Saud, an anti-Communist, to stand firm against any overt Communist aggression in the Middle East.



KING SAUD and SON

## Gov. Leader To Disclose Fiscal Picture

State's Budget Expected To Hit Record \$2 Million

HARRISBURG — UP — Gov. George M. Leader will disclose the financial picture of the last two years of his administration to a joint session of the General Assembly next Tuesday.

The governor told his weekly news conference today that he postponed his budget message to the lawmakers for 24 hours at the request of legislative leaders.

He will preview the budget for Capitol Hill newsmen at a briefing during a luncheon at the Executive Mansion Monday. The governor's fiscal blueprint for the 1957-59 fiscal period is expected to reach a record \$2,000,000,000.

## Questioned on Shakeup

Most of the questioning at the conference revolved around the shakeup he has made in governmental posts in the last several weeks, topped by the firing of John R. Torquato as secretary of Labor and Industry. He said he has no plans for further changes at the cabinet level "for the present."

In that connection he scotched reports that Highways Secretary John J. Lawler might be shifted to another post.

"Recent speculation concerning Lawler has been completely and entirely unfounded," the governor said. "I think he is a very hard working, conscientious and able administrator."

To a question of whether he held the same opinion of Revenue Secretary Gerald A. Gleeson, the governor replied:

## Gleeson Cooperating

"Gleeson is participating in the strengthening of the Sales Tax Division. He is cooperating and cooperating very well."

The governor also:

1. Said he did not discuss his plan for reorganizing the Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission on a non-salaried basis with legislators because he has been informed it would require amending 10 statutes, and must be done so as not to disturb any turnpike indentures. He said while the changes are "by no means impossible, they require very painstaking preparation by the state Justice Department."

2. Discounted reports of wire-tapping of telephones of members of the administration. He said Attorney General Thomas D. McBride has the only wire-tapping equipment and said he has "complete confidence that such equipment could not be in better hands and will not be abused."

## Immigration Haven Asked

WASHINGTON — UP — President Eisenhower asked Congress today for new immigration legislation that would grant a haven in the United States to persons who "flee from Communist persecution and tyranny."

In a special message to Congress, the President also requested liberalization of the McCarran-Walter Immigration Act, basic immigration law of the land.

At the outset of his message the President outlined the need for emergency legislation to help Hungarian and other refugees.

He said the eyes of the world have been fixed on Hungary where thousands of men, women and children have fled to seek asylum abroad.

## Self-Appointed Lawyer

## Judge Declares Case A Mistrial

A self-appointed "attorney" ran afoul of the county's president judge yesterday, and his case was declared a mistrial following more than two hours of testimony.

The "attorney," Francis Burke, Warminster, was defending himself on a charge of fraudulent conversion and passing a worthless check in Middletown township.

Burke, who tried his own case rather than let the court appoint an attorney to represent him, was repeatedly warned by President Judge Edward G. Biester about his manner of cross-examining witnesses who testified against him.

Barely heeding the warnings, Burke relentlessly questioned Robert B. Durst, Richboro, a former business partner who testified against Burke on the fraudulent conversion charge.

## Declares Perjury

After questioning Durst on a check stub, during which Burke said he didn't "get the answer I wanted," Burke declared, "This man has perjured himself."

Judge Biester immediately called the case a mistrial and held Burke for a new trial at a later date.

The check stub was from a purchase of two Colt revolvers which Burke made while a member of the Po-Lab corporation, when Durst, his brother, Burke and Burke's wife were partners.

Burke wanted to know if the stub was altered, and when Durst said "no," Burke charged him with perjury.

Burke is also charged with

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## Starts Tomorrow

## Behind Scenes of Levittown Police

How many policemen cover Levittown?

How much are the policemen paid?

The answer to these questions and many more pertaining to police protection in Levittown will be answered starting tomorrow in a new series to be run by the Courier and Times.

The series was compiled by the League of Women Voters of Bristol township which turned the tables on the four police departments covering Levittown by asking them a long series of questions.

The answers to those questions give a comprehensive outline of exactly how the law is administered in Levittown.

Don't miss this new series, starting tomorrow in the Bristol Daily Courier and Levittown Times.

If you drive, be careful.

# Thousands Homeless, Without Food, Drugs In Four-State Floods

## State Policeman Feted by Lower Bucks Leaders



Honored last night for seven years of outstanding service in Lower Bucks County, State Police Sgt. Adrian J. McCarr (third from left) who tomorrow starts a new assignment, examines a movie camera presented by his hosts. From left are Stephen P. Midouhas, who arranged the testimonial dinner at

the Torresdale-Frankford Country Club; Charles E. Hunter, with an attractively lettered "accolade" for the trooper; McCarr; Thomas R. Janes who presented the camera; James Keegan; the Rev. Paul L. Shogan, presenting a picture of his recent audience with Pope Pius, and Pat Mann, toastmaster.

(Courtesy & Times Photo)

## Sgt. McCarr Honored For Bucks Service

County Leaders Give Banquet For Station Head

By BOB REINHARDT  
Courier and Times Staff Writer

Industry, business, and civic leaders of Lower Bucks county last night held a banquet to pay tribute to Sgt. Adrian J. McCarr, commandant of Fairless Hills State Police sub-station, whose seven years of duty in this area ends today.

Sgt. McCarr will soon report to Troop D headquarters in Bethlehem for a new assignment. The veteran trooper was cited for exemplary service, community interest, and leadership in tributes made formally at the banquet table and informally before and after the dinner.

Sgt. McCarr was scheduled to leave for his new post tomorrow morning. However, the transfer has been delayed for several days as the result of the death of Sgt. Chester W. Reitz, 50.

Sgt. Reitz was scheduled to take over the duties of Sgt. Charles Jones in Quakertown. Sgt. Jones in turn was to take over Sgt. McCarr's post.

## Next Week

Sgt. McCarr said the transfer will probably take place in the early part of next week. He said a full military funeral will be held for Sgt. Reitz on Sunday in Quakertown, where he lived. The

70-year-old Reitz had been stationed in Langhorne for several years in the early 1930's.

Some 50 persons attended the banquet at the Torresdale-Frankford Country Club, Philadelphia, arranged under the leadership of Stephen P. Midouhas, president of Kemline, Inc., of Edgely.

The popular sergeant received a motion picture camera from the banquet sponsors, and a handsomely printed statement of accolade. The Rev. Paul L. Shogan, pastor of Our Lady of Per-

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## May Freeze Tonight

## 1-Inch Snow Seen With Cold Rain

Snow dropped over Lower Bucks early this morning and before it turns to a cold rain the accumulation is expected to reach an inch.

The Weather Bureau at Trenton said rain and snow were expected to take turns falling through most of today and tonight.

Most of today's snow would be washed away by the rain but falling temperatures tonight may freeze just enough of the precipi-

tation to make roads slippery.

The snow this morning was expected to change to rain as temperatures began an afternoon rise. It was 32 at 10 a.m. The afternoon high was expected to reach the high 30's.

Gradual clearing is forecast for tomorrow with afternoon temperatures climbing to the moderate 40's.

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## AAUW To Sponsor Career Night



(Courtesy & Times Photo)

A committee from the Levittown-Fairless Hills unit of the American Association of University Women formulates plans for a career night for Lower Bucks County high school girls. Members of the club will represent various occupations at the affair scheduled for March 6 at Neshaminy High school. Checking arrangements are (from left) Mrs. Leo Rogin, chairman of career night; Mrs. William L. Roberts III, first vice president of the club; and Mrs. Paul Binder, chairman of the table arrangements for the affair.

## Dinner Honors Sergeant McCarr

(Continued from Page One) petal Help Byzantine Rite Catholic Church, Levittown, just returned from a trip to Europe, gave Sgt. McCarr a picture of himself at an audience with Pope Pius.

Because each person attending the dinner had become personally acquainted with Sgt. McCarr and in the past seven years and seen at work in fast-growing Lower Bucks, the expressions of tribute and handclaps were strong and genuine.

Acting as toastmaster was Pat Mann, manager of the Atlantic Tea Packing co. and a former star of vaudeville, who used a rich store of anecdotes with his professional stage presence to keep the program moving smoothly.

The 8mm movie camera was presented by Thomas R. James, vice president of Superior Zinc Corp.

### Signed Accolade

Charles E. Hunter, president of Hunter-Bristol corp., presented the printed accolade, signed by each one at the dinner. It cited Sgt. McCarr for "seven years of exemplary service as protector of life, property and the welfare of Lower Bucks county, a community interest that transcended his chosen profession and a utilization of leadership in moulding the wholesome opinions and fruitful life of our youth."

"He answered the call created by the vast influx of new citizens to our community with a strong mind, great heart, true faith, and ready hands," the scroll says of Sgt. McCarr. "We are ever grateful for a man whom the lust of office does not kill, and whom the spoils of office cannot buy, a man who has lived by the discovery of what is true and the practice of that which is good."

John Melvin, Falls township

### Death Notices

FARQUER — William G. Sir on Jan. 30, 1957, in Mercer Hospital, Trenton, following a 3 month illness. Mr. Farquer was a resident of Pleasant Lane, Levittown. Survived by wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Farquer; Mrs. George Fisher, Springfield, Ohio; 2 sons; Harold H. 58 Shepard Lane, Levittown and William G. Jr. No. 1 Curtis Lane; 6 grandchildren. The family will receive friends Friday 1 to 3 p.m. at the Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church. Services will be held in church at 3 p.m. Further arrangements will be announced later by the Beck-Dougherty Mortuary.

WALTERS — Philadelphia, January 29, Ida daughter of the late John and Anna Walters. Survived by a sister, Bertha Brown. Edged two sons and 1 daughter. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral Saturday 10 a.m. conducted by Reverend Robert J. Thompson of the First Presbyterian Church. Buried from the funeral home of John Blane, 14 Cedar St., Bristol. Interment Oakwood Cemetery, Philadelphia. Friends may call Friday evening.

WALTERS — Philadelphia, January 29, Joseph E. Jan. 30, 1957, resided at Teal's Trailer Park, Bristol. Survived by wife, Sarah Whitaker, 4 sons: Joseph H., 2 daughters: Mrs. Margaret Devlin and Mrs. Harriet Miller. 1 brother, Samuel Whitaker and 1 sister, Mrs. Elsie Briggs, both of Phila. 18 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. Relatives and friends may call Friday evening at the Manna Funeral Home, 6925 Frankford Ave., Phila.

WALTERS — Philadelphia, January 29, James J. Doyle, arrested Dec. 1, was sent to prison by Judge Edwin H. Satterthwaite. He was arrested for drunken driving on Route 1 at the Paris Inn.

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# 4000 Bucks County Residents To Get Vote Privilege Warning

## Letters Cite Two-Year Deadline

Over 4000 Bucks countians who have not voted in the last two years stand to lose their voter's registration unless they act soon.

The staff of the Bucks county registration office in the Scheetz Building, East Court street, Doylestown, is in the process of withdrawing their names from the rolls.

The commission will mail out 4007 notices to two-year delinquents on Monday.

### Delinquent Category

Included in the delinquent category are electors whose registrations have been on the county's active files for the full two-calendar year period, January 1, 1955 to January 1, 1957, and failed to vote during that time at any elections during 1955 and 1956.

Voters who were reinstated early in 1955 and 1956 are not included in the listings, even though they did not vote, inasmuch as reinstatement at that time, made them eligible for two additional years respectively.

### Card With Notice

Registration Clerk Robert F. Detweiler said today that accompanying each notice, will be an official reinstatement card upon which the voter must print and sign his or her name, insert the complete address and definite election district.

Unless the reinstatement cards are returned to the Registration Commission within ten days from date of postmark on the notice, the registrations will be canceled.

"Failure to return the reinstatement cards by Feb. 13, voters whose registrations are due to be cancelled, will be obliged to re-register in order to restore eligibility to vote," Detweiler said.

"It is therefore very important that all recipients of the delinquent notices return their reinstatement cards at once."

## Pops' Repeat

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Romberg's "One Kiss," from "New Moon," and soloist Miss Madeline Stevenson singing Gershwin's immortal "Summer time," from "Porgy and Bess."

Also included on the program is Romberg's "Stout-Hearted Men," two folk songs arranged by Brahms, Schubert's "Unfinished Symphony," and Gliere-Eikan's "Sailor's Dance."

The orchestra and chorus turned in a top performance Sunday with the series. It is expected to repeat its accomplishment tomorrow.

Tickets are available at the door and at the orchestra's business office at 19 South Main street, Yardley. Office telephone number is HY 3-6698.

## Man Out On Bail In Morals Case

John Monahan, 8 Jangood place, Bristol Terrace, arrested on a charge of sodomy, was committed to Bucks County Prison January 25 by Justice of the Peace Earl Dougherty. The suspect was released from prison the same day under bail set by the Bucks County court.

The charge involved a 13-year-old boy and an offense allegedly committed in a car on Magnolia road, Squire Dougherty said. The boy was held for juvenile court.

The arrest was made by Bristol township police, but never disclosed by the police department. She was 13 years old.

The former teenage dance promoter also denied having been intimate with Miss Gardner on Thanksgiving Day, 1954, as charged by the state. He said he attended a high school football game that day and spent the re-

## 40 Poodles

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fireman managed to carry 24 dogs to safety.

Mrs. Sayres said the dogs killed were used for breeding purposes.

It took years to develop the Bric A Bric strain, she said.

Her show dogs, she added, were in another structure and not affected by the blaze.

## They Head Delaware Valley Hospital



(Courtesy & Times Photo)  
New officers of the Delaware Valley Osteopathic Hospital pose together after their installation at a dinner in Pennel last night. They are (from left) Dr. Gordon J. Ennis, vice president; Dr. Murry E. Levyn, treasurer; Dr. George Levenson, president and Walter W. Jackson, secretary.

## Brownie Leaders Get Pins



(Courtesy & Times Photo)

Brownie troop 160, Levittown, celebrated its third anniversary yesterday at the Manor school, Thorndale. Eight mothers were given committee member's pins. Members include from left: Mrs. Donald Wean, Mrs. Lewis Runyon, Mrs. Edward Gill Jr., Mrs. Albert Norvotney, Mrs. Willard Ross, Mrs. Warren Fichter. Troop Leader Mrs. James Thatcher, pins badge on Mrs. Fichter as Assistant Troop Leader Mrs. Joseph Richardson watches. Mrs. Samuel Jacobs, assistant leader, and Mrs. James Harvey are not pictured.

## Family Feud Hangs Over Conference Of AFL-CIO

MIAMI BEACH—UP—Bitter factionalism among trades and industrial unions hung over the winter conference of the huge combined AFL-CIO today as United Steelworkers President David J. McDonald called for a showdown on a family feud.

McDonald has summoned top executives of his union to take up the Steelworkers dispute with the Sheet Metal Workers Union which has refused to install equipment made by Steelworkers.

### Roots Of Quarrel

A spokesman said McDonald wanted immediate action on

the case from the AFL-CIO Executive Council and union President George Meany.

The quarrel between the two unions had its roots in the period before the two big unions combined. Then the Steelworkers belonged to the CIO and the Sheet Metal Workers to the AFL.

### Malice Aforethought

Since the merger, most of the old AFL unions have gone into the Building Trades department of the AFL-CIO while the majority of the former CIO unions went into the Industrial Union department.

McDonald, in a letter to

Meany last fall, charged the Sheet Metal Workers "deliberately, knowingly and with malice aforethought" violated AFL-CIO laws by allegedly boycotting projects involving Steelworkers.

Meany conferred yesterday with Richard Gray, head of the Building Trades department, and Al Whitehouse, director of the Industrial Union Division, but refused to make any statement. It was reported that the discussion was mainly concerned with ways and means of bringing about permanent peace between the two factions.

### Floods Leave

(Continued from Page One) bottles to keep premature babies alive.

The governors of West Virginia and Kentucky appealed to President Eisenhower for federal assistance. Gov. Cecil H. Underwood of West Virginia said the situation was critical and that hardship and suffering was "severe."

At least 1,000 persons were forced to flee their homes in and around Williamson and Logan, W. Va. Contaminated water supplies in both communities created a health hazard, but a water purifier flown into Logan late Wednesday brought some relief.

Pikeville, Ky., a city of 5,500 isolated for two days, received desperately-needed supplies early today from National Guard convoys from London and Ashland. But the city still needed more.

### Water Receding

Water was receding in some of the stricken areas but that only eased the situation. More heavy rains in some of the backwoods mountain communities around the Cumberland River kept waters near all-time high marks.

Grundy, Va., a town of 2,000, appealed by radio for help last night but there was no further word by mid-morning from that community. Appeals went out for food, clothing, drinking water and medicine, but rain and fog grounded the helicopters that could carry in the badly-sought supplies.

### Accident Victim

Meanwhile, the five-year-old accident victim involved in a crash Feb. 22 with Horn remains in a coma this morning at Episcopal Hospital in Philadelphia.

However, Gail McKnight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald, 2929 A street, is now listed by hospital officials as in "fair" condition.

### Levittown Club Attends Fete

Seven members of the Levittown Kiwanis Club attended a

lunch last night in Glenside honoring the new international Kiwanis president, Reed C. Culp, of Salt Lake City, Utah.

Attending the affair from the Levittown club were Tim Fahy, president; William Vantilburg, vice president; Paul Dickes, treasurer; William Quinlan, secretary; Anthony Casciato, chairman of the Underprivileged Children committee; Murray Cohen, bulletin editor; and Dominic Arcuri, music chairman.

### Supper To Honor Michael Dorak

Past president of the Falls Township Republican club, Michael Dorak, 9 Bentwood Lane, Birch Valley, Levittown, will be honored at a buffet style supper tomorrow night.

Mr. Dorak, an employee at the Fairless Works of the U. S. Steel, is being transferred to the Pittsburgh office of the corporation.

The affair is scheduled for 8 o'clock at the John Billington VFW Post, Haines road, Levittown, under sponsorship of the club.

### DELAWARE VALLEY HOSPITAL

Jan. 22

Mr. and Mrs. John Gamel, 28 Almond lane, Levittown, a son, John James.

Mr. and Mrs. John Costa, 2684 Crafton drive, Cornwells Heights, a son, John Gabriel.

## Births

### LOWER BUCKS HOSPITAL

Jan. 29

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Markert, 51 Buttonwood lane, Levittown, girl.

Jan. 30

Mr. and Mrs. Francesco Chiaron, 311 Lincoln avenue, Bristol, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Coar, 511 Girard avenue, Croydon, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald De Selens, 136 Schumacher drive, Bristol, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kamnik, 4930 Bristol road, Bristol, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Newsham, 341 Appletree drive, Levittown, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. William Niblick, 29 Wildflower road, Levittown, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sacks, 1002 Fourth avenue, Croydon, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stapler, 26 Wisteria lane, Levittown, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. John Costa, 2684 Crafton drive, Cornwells Heights, a son, John Gabriel.

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